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In re Application of:  
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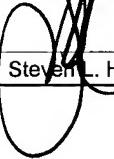
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For: INHIBITION OF PROTEIN KINASE C-MU (PKD) AS A TREATMENT FOR CARDIAC HYPERTROPHY AND HEART FAILURE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This preliminary amendment is submitted in connection with the above-captioned application. Entry of the amendment prior to substantive examination is respectfully requested. Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments** begin on page 2 of this paper; **Remarks** begin on page 13.